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Team:

We have been so busy lately that I have been remiss in providing an update to the entire group concerning where we are with the revised draft assessment. I'll try to correct that with this email.

The revised draft assessment should be completed by COB Friday, April 19. Final editing, formatting and print proofing is in process as I write and on Friday, the task of converting files to PDF form will be completed.

Our target is to release the revised draft assessment on Monday, April 22. However, portions of the report are still undergoing final review and clearance. Although we do not expect to receive suggestions for revisions, that is always possible and the release may be delayed.

After we complete the revised draft assessment this week, we will concentrate on completing the draft response to peer reviewer comments document. It is our intent to complete that document by May 1 when we hope the contracts will be in place for commencement of the peer review follow-up.

Thanks again for all the hard work. As a result of your hard work with responding to peer review and public comments, we have completed a much improved assessment. Nicely done team!

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